

DITCHING A STRANGE MOON

**MR. MINK'S ERROR AS TO THE BRUTE'S
TROTTING QUALITIES.**

NEWBURGH, June 5.—Besides attending to his duties in connection with the mail services between here and Fishkill, Mr. John Mink finds time for an occasional spin over the roads in pursuit of recreation. The other day he overtook and passed on the South plank road a mule wagon bound for Ellenville, and drawn by three fine-looking mules. Mr. Mink pulled up at the hotel in South Orange, and before long the mule team came in sight. As it was the mule team called out to him. The Cur-

"I was driven. Come, now, Tim, I'll bet you \$50 I can pick out from that team one mule that will beat either of both of the other two, mile heats, best two in three, go as you please, over this half mile track here."

"Several well-known horsemen who wished to see the sport go on were standing about, and, seeing the excitement of the crowd, they called: "Well, Mr. Mink, I'm your huckleberry."

It was in the agreement which followed that Mr. Mink should ride the mule he selected, that Curtis should jockey another, and that the third should be ridden by the stable boy.

"Oh, yes," replied Curtis, pointing them out: "that's Jim Nye, that's Humility, and 'bother you, Mr. Mink, I'll be damned if I don't take you!"

Mr. Nye, a thin, wiry, nearly 200 pounds, cheerful fellow, Jim Nye, because he thought, after looking them all over, that he showed the best chance of winning. "That's Hitter, and that's Humility fall to the stable boy, Johnny. Sadden, spurs, and whips were hurriedly procured, and the three riders appeared at the judges' stand, ready for the word. The odds were against Mr. Mink, for in order to win he had to beat both of his opponents.

In drawing for positions Humility got

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The second heat resembled the first, save that Jim Nye once forfeited a good lead by halting at the wire, but he recovered quickly and darting off in the wrong direction. It was won by Hard Hitter in :4.9, with Jim Nye second in :5.0. The third race was decided down the homestretch by the stable boy.

Amid the applause of the crowd Curtis took his high jump and cleared five feet Ellenville, fifty dollars richer than when he untied.

The International Telegraph Company

ALBANY, June 5.—The International Telegraph Company filed articles of association yesterday. The capital will be \$100,000,000. The route of the line is to be from New York City through Philadelphia, Washington, through the States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona,

signa, Louisiana, and Texas to the Rio Grande River, and from New York, by way of Albany and Rochester to Buffalo and the Erie Railroad, and from Buffalo to Lake Erie and Western Railroad, to Buffalo, and thence west through Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois and Indiana to Chicago, and from Chicago to St. Louis; also from Cincinnati, through Mississippi, Arkansas, and Texas, to Houston and Galveston, and from New Orleans, through Mississippi, Louisiana, and New Mexico, to Mexico; also from Chicago, west to California, also from New York to Portland, Me.; also from New York to Miami, Fla., and from Miami to New Orleans, as follows: Andrew J. Batwin, of Wilkesbarre, 50,000 shares; James F. Cox, of Murfreesboro, 25,000; and Charles H. Stebbins, 25,000. The company is to continue 100 years.

wharf in Long Island City was taken ill with small-pox on Friday. He went to the office of a local physician, who, it is said, refused to attend him, and he died with his hands clasped in prayer. He was a colored man, and he is believed about 40 years of age. He had been considered about in search of aid, and finally disappeared. The residents of the city and suburbs are alarmed, and it is feared that the disease, the cause of which is unknown, may spread the disease. Up to yesterday the whereabouts of the man was not known.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINUTEMEN ALREADY—THIS DAY.

Sundries..... 4 29 Sun sets..... 7 28 Moon sets..... 12

WIND WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook..... 2 19 Toward Island..... 2 57 Hell Gate..... 4

ARRIVED—SATURDAY, JUNE 5.

St. Louis, Frigate, New York.
St. Wayne, Schooner, New York Point, and Norfolk.
St. Cantina, Davina, St. Johns, N. Y. and Halifax.
St. Silvia, Ainslie, Hamburg, May 22, and Havre 25, at
St. Louis, and Glasgow May 21, at
Larne 28.

St. Angelo, Frigate, Bermuda.
St. Felix, Johnstown, Havre.
St. John, Chitt, Chitt, Georgetown, D. C.
St. Rita, Havana, Boston, Bermuda.

ARRIVED OUT.

88 Wieland, from New York May 20, is reported off Lizard.

88 British Queen, from New York May 20, at Quoe

MARRIED.
ANDERSON-BALCOM—On June 2, at St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Harlem, N. Y., by the Rev. Dr. J. C. Hays, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Virginia Haleson, of New York.
DAVIDS—HIEPP—June 2, by the Rev. Halvor M. Jacobsen, at David's and Mary Marie Hiepp, daughter, Emanuel Schum.

DEPARTURES.
JANS—In Brooklyn, June 1, at St. Peter's Church, by the Rev. Charles A. Sittals, Charles E. D. Bradford, Pa., to Gustav A. youngest daughter of the Hon. C. J. Jans.

FREEMAN-SMITH.—On June 2, at the residence of

DIED.
Fitzpatrick.—On Sunday, June 6, Ann, wife of H. Fitzpatrick, native of the parish of Drumlane, County Galway, Ireland.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, 422 West 44th St., Tuesday, June 7, at 10 o'clock, to Calvary church.
Burial in Calvary.—On Sunday, June 5, Mrs. Jane E. Hamilton, aged 97 years.
Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, on Tuesday, June 7, at 7 P. M., at St. Ann's church.

the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. T. Wilson, 116 West 40th st., East near Woodlawn, Wednesday, June 29, at 10 o'clock P. M. Friends and relatives of the deceased are invited to attend. Burial in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friday, June 5, Christian Hour, 8 o'clock, aged 38 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Funeral from his late residence, 116 West 52d st., Tuesday, July 2, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends and relatives of the deceased are invited to attend. Burial in the Mount Pleasant cemetery, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friday, June 5, Christian Hour, 8 o'clock, aged 38 years.

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